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ONE CENT

## CHARLEROI WOMAN IS APPOINTED AS CENSOR

Mrs. E. C. Niver Signally Honored by State Executive

PHILADELPHIAN CHIEF

Board to Pass on Photoplay Productions in State Numbers Two

Mrs. E. C. Niver, wife of Editor E. C. Niver of the Mail Tuesday afternoon late received a telegram from Gov. J. K. Tener conveying the news that he had appointed her an assistant censor of the State Board of Censorship. The telegram was as follows:

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 21, 1914.  
Mrs. E. C. Niver,  
Charleroi, Pa.

I have this day appointed you assistant censor of the State Board of Censorship. I trust you will accept the position.

J. K. Tener.

At the same time J. Lewis Breitinger of Philadelphia, was appointed chief censor of moving pictures. The appointments were made under the act of June 19, 1911, which could not be carried out until the Legislature made an appropriation for expenses which was done last season. The chief censor is to be paid \$1,500 and the assistant, whom the act specified must be a woman, \$1,200 yearly.

A fee of \$2.50 is to be paid the state for each film or view passed upon. Production of pictures not approved is prohibited and punishable by a fine.

## JURORS DRAWN FOR FEBRUARY TERM OF COURT

Two panels of 30 jurymen were drawn at Washington Tuesday, one of which will be called February 23, and the other March 9. This was the first work of Jury Commissioners, J. Warren Vankirk and James A. McLowney, who were elected at the November election. The jurymen drawn from this community are as follows:

February 23—John Clutter, James F. Hill, Howard Vernom, Charleroi; John Davis, North Charleroi; James Sphar, Twilight; James V. Young, Fallowfield.

March 9—Paul R. Natt, John Richter, F. A. Richards, Charleroi; C. A. Metz, Harry W. Scott, North Charleroi; H. B. Manicha, Fallowfield; John H. Reed, Twilight.

## FAYETTE COUNTY FREE FROM DEBT IN 1913

One of the interesting features being prepared by assistant controller Earl Husted of Fayette county is the fact that Fayette county will have wiped out its bonded indebtedness entirely by 1913. The county now owes but \$18,000 and this is being paid off at the rate of \$9,000 a year.

The Greatest Temperance Picture ever made, "Ten Nights in a Bar Room." In 5 reels Thursday Coyle Theatre: 160-42

## Third Degree Work Tonight

Special Car Chartered by Charleroi Knights of Columbus

Knights of Columbus from Charleroi tonight will travel in a body to Pittsburgh where a class from Charleroi Council No. 956 will receive the third degree. A special car has been chartered for the trip on the Pittsburgh Railway line, and it will leave Fifth street at 8:12 o'clock after the regular car. It is expected that at least 100 persons will go from Charleroi. In the class to be given the degree will be about 25. The Pittsburgh team will confer the degree.

## MAKING GOOD IN POSITION IN INDIANA

Charleroi Boy in Position of Assistant Postmaster in Large Mill

## IS SIGNALLY HONORED

One of the former Charleroi young men who is forging to the front and making a career for himself is Alexander J. Tylavsky, son of M. J. Tylavsky of Charleroi. This young man, who was educated in the Charleroi public schools and later graduated from Douglas Business College, some three years ago entered the employ of the Oliver Chilled Flow works, at South Bend, Indiana. He has steadily advanced in that institution until now he is assistant postmaster, one of the responsible and important positions of the plant.

Recently a big civic reform movement was planned for South Bend, by which extensive public improvements are expected to be made in the city. The leading and influential citizens are at the head of the movement, and law and order are to be rigidly enforced as well as material improvements made. An advisory board, composed of active and energetic workers, who were chosen for their ability and good judgment was appointed and among the list is the name of A. J. Tylavsky. This is considered a signal honor for so young a man, as well as a recognition of his fitting qualities.

Alexander Tylavsky, is well known by the younger set in Charleroi who will be pleased to learn of his advancement. When a small lad, he used to deliver papers for the Charleroi Mail.

Alpha Phi Beta Reception  
The Alpha Phi Beta fraternity will give their mid-winter reception tonight at Night's Auditorium.

Are you going to see "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" Thursday, at Coyle Theatre? 160-42

## FIREMEN MAY USE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

Permission is Granted by School Board--Brigade Also Has Night Set Apart--New Teacher to be Secured

The Charleroi Volunteer Fire Department and the Washington Avenue Brigade are to be permitted to use the new gymnasium in the high school building on certain nights in a week for drill and gymnasium work. This was decided upon at a meeting of the school board Tuesday evening. It is possible that another evening may

be set apart also for another organization. The board's session was a lengthy one, lasting until midnight. Numerous matters were talked over. Superintendent Thomas L. Pollock was given authority to secure a new teacher to be employed at the Crest avenue school. This is made necessary by the large number of pupils there.

## NINETY DAYS FOR CRUELTY TO CHILDREN

Reese Williams was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Joseph Wheeler Tuesday information being made by Chief of Police C. W. Albright who charged him with cruel treatment of his children. It was alleged that on the night of Jan. 12 Reese went home intoxicated and started to abuse his wife and boys running the latter from the house, and keeping them out all night. They were compelled to take shelter if it is said in an old abandoned house which had neither doors nor windows, nor means of heating. The oldest boy was picked up at 3 o'clock the next morning lying on the cold ground at the old gas well the night Policeman Gust Bricker, finding him. He was taken to the burgess' office where he was made comfortable. The boys' ages were 19 and 11. The father pleaded guilty to the charge. His wife and two boys appeared against him.

## SPECIAL TRAIN CARRIES CROWD TO HEAR SUNDAY

Six coach loads of people traveled from the upper Monongahela valley Tuesday night to Pittsburgh to hear Rev. Billy Sunday. The party was recruited from Brownsville, California, Coal Centre, Roscoe, Charleroi. Rev. Sunday preached in the evening one of his most wonderful sermons, his subject being "Sin."

## TEN NIGHTS IN BARROOM AT THE COYLE THURSDAY

On Thursday night of this week will be produced at the Coyle theatre a five reel photoplay production of one of the most wonderful stories ever told that by the noted writer T. S. Arthur of "Ten Nights in a Barroom." The story is a most vivid one and is told better in picture than it ever could be in legitimate drama. The story is claimed to be one of the greatest temperance works ever written.

Raid Monessen Pool Room.  
Chief of Police Wheatley of Monessen raided a pool room in that town Monday night, where it was charged gambling was carried on. H. J. Corey, the proprietor was fined \$25 and costs and Harry Daumit, as assistant, 18 years old was fined \$10 and costs.

## HUNDREDS AT FUNERAL OF J. UNDERWOOD

Fully 500 persons attended the funeral of Joseph Underwood Tuesday afternoon at Roscoe. This was the largest gathering of the kind ever called together in Roscoe.

At noon all the children of the public school marched down and viewed the remains. A large number went from Charleroi. About 25 persons were present from Washington. Many of those present were once in Mr. Underwood's employ.

In the death of Mr. Underwood Roscoe lost the man who had done more for the advancement of the town than any other. The paved streets of the town and its sidewalks he worked for for years. The first school building of the town is another of the improvements that he was deeply interested in. He was a friend of all the churches. The Presbyterian church building was made possible only by his encouragement and help.

A Keystone at the Star today, 5c show. 161-41

## LYRIC PROGRAM HAS SEVERAL FEATURES

The bill for the Lyric this evening is a good one. The main feature is a Vitagraph in three parts with Harry T. Morey, E. K. Lincoln, and Anita Stewart in the leading roles. The story shows the result of jealousy and vengeance. The Pathe weekly and a western picture complete the program.

## ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED BY THE DEWDROP CLUB

The Dew-drop euchre club of Charleroi celebrated their 5th anniversary in the parlors of the Charleroi Turn Verein Tuesday night. The club is composed of 20 ladies and meets every Tuesday night throughout the entire year. The evening was spent in euchre, after which the ladies enjoyed themselves at a banquet, which is a feature of each anniversary. Recitations, which were excellent and dancing concluded the program.

Working Up Special Edition.  
John L. Stewart, president and managing editor of the Washington Observer and W. P. Wilson of the Observer were in Charleroi today working up material for their special annual industrial edition which will be published on January 31.

Mutual movies make the time fly at the Star everyday. 161-41

## HOSPITAL CLOSES GOOD YEAR; DIRECTORS MEET

Miss Sellins Cancels Date

Noted Labor Organizer Not to Appear Tomorrow Night in Charleroi

Patients Treated At Local Institution in Six Months 170

HIGH STANDARD SET

Reorganization Effected After Directors Are Elected by Association

Miss Fannie Sellins, an organizer of the garments workers, who was scheduled to speak in Turner Hall Thursday night, January 22, has been obliged to cancel her engagement, owing to being arrested and detained for contempt of court for activities connected with the miners' strike at Colliers, West Virginia. It appears that an injunction had been issued against Miss Sellins, as well as James Oates of Charleroi, who has charge of disbursing the strike benefits to the miners there, and the two removed to Steubenville, Ohio. The injunction was served there, however, and the proceeding has compelled Miss Sellins to cancel her Charleroi engagement Thursday night.

It has not yet been learned what has been the outcome of the arrest.

## HIGH SCHOOL HAS SCHEDULE OF NINE GAMES

Hard List of Contests in Basketball For Charleroi Five

## MOST OF THEM AT HOME

Nine games are on the schedule announced for the Charleroi high school basketball game by Coach W. L. Lorimer. Of the number only three are out of town games. The following is the list of games:

Jan. 23 Shady-side Academy at Charleroi.

January 30. California Normal at Charleroi.

February 6. Charleroi at Claysville.

February 13. Monongahela high at Charleroi.

February 20. Charleroi at Shady-side Academy.

February 27. Claysville high at Charleroi.

March 6. Turtle Creek Union high at Charleroi.

March 13. Charleroi at Monongahela high.

March 20. Canonsburg high at Charleroi.

A game that has been scheduled with Bellevue high school for February 14 was canceled and Monongahela high school taken on the schedule for February 15.

## FOR SALE

On account of going back to the old country, nice 8 room house, also 5 piece mahogany parlor suit, bed room suit and all household goods. Everything will be sold cheap. Inquire 608 Lookout avenue. 158-264-p

After the adjournment of the meeting the board of directors met and perfected an organization for the ensuing year, with the following officers being elected:

President, W. R. Gant.

Vice president, C. L. Schuck.

Secretary, Richard A. Roberts.

Treasurer, Herman A. Heupel.

The following committees were chosen by the board:

Executive committee—W. R. Gant, John A. Sheetz, J. W. Carroll.

Auditing committee—K. W. Daly, S. L. Woodward, D. N. Hall.

Surgical and medical staff committee—K. W. Daly, H. A. Heupel, J. J. Cushing, C. L. Schuck.

Membership committee—John A. Sheetz, K. W. Daly, George S. Alight, J. J. Cushing.

MARRIED BY REV. E. N. DUTY AT PARSONAGE

Miss May Bethel Perry and Albert Port Murray, both of Charleroi, were married on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock by Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor of the First Christian church at his parsonage at 324 Meadow avenue. The couple will live in Charleroi.

Bubbett Gets Appointment.  
James A. Bubbett, Esq., of Washington, has been appointed income tax collector in the internal revenue service by the United States collector of internal revenue, G. G. Lewellyn.

The salary is \$2,400 a year.

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Bush, Cashier.

## COME BACK

to the principles of saving, if you have drifted from the path of economy, and you will surely reap the reward of your efforts. An account with the First National Bank will be of great assistance to you.



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## LOCAL AGENCIES

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## THE LAND TAX

Pittsburg and Scranton are the only  
cities in the United States to  
modified plan of the Henry  
theory of taxing the land for  
revenue instead of imposing it  
on improvements, which is in  
only fining a property holder  
seeming prosperous through  
this land tax is made possible  
act of the last legislature,  
gives cities of the second class  
over to tax land within the city  
higher than buildings. The ob-  
this higher tax on land than  
things is to break up the prac-  
holding vacant land in popu-  
lators for speculative purposes  
offering by the rise made by  
improvements. Taxing this  
value is imposing a tax on what  
George called the "unearned  
nt"; that is, the increase in  
which the owner contributes  
in the way of improvements.  
method of taxing vacant lands  
cities more than the buildings  
in vogue in western Cana-  
des, and works well. It is al-  
luded in European cities quite  
ely with beneficial results.  
of introducing it in Pitts-  
to cause more building and  
face rents. It was found by a  
survey that workmen in Pitts-  
pay much higher rents than  
ng cities in other parts of the  
Rents in Pittsburg are 19  
t higher than in Philadelphia,  
cent higher than in Cleveland,  
per cent higher than Bal-

By shifting a big part of the  
m buildings and putting it on  
lots held for speculation, it is  
o reduce rents and increase the  
of houses.

Henry George theory is to tax  
values—the "unearned incre-  
—instead of buildings and im-  
vements, which are the result of  
and providence. This theory  
"single tax," as it is called, has  
the object of much ridicule and  
jerry, but modifications of it  
being adopted everywhere  
hout the civilized world, and  
rg and Scranton have the  
of being the first cities in the  
States to become practical

is of the late Henry George,  
ough it be in a modified form.

POLITICS IN THE HOME.

Senator Helen Ring Robinson  
ctures at Washington Satur-  
ening in the interests of Wo-

man Suffrage, in an address recently  
in Lancaster, this state, most clearly  
dear, stated that "if woman's sphere  
is in the home there are politics in  
every department there, which de-  
merit attention. She says:

"What was politics in the old days  
when the old three-line saying or-  
inated that politics was not woman's  
sphere? Now the city health depart-  
ment, controlled by politicians, con-  
siders the home, where the homelies  
mother can learn whether the effi-  
ciency of her household is that de-  
partment may mean life or death to  
her children. What avails a vacuum  
cleaner in the house unless there is a  
vote without? There was no garbage  
problem in those days. Today the  
garbage can has become a galvanized  
iron receptacle entirely surrounded  
by politics. Then, there is the ques-  
tion of milk and water supplies. Al-  
ways politics coming inside the home  
—through the water faucet and in the  
milk can."

Senator Robinson calls attention to  
conditions in the home when the wo-  
man of the house is away for a period  
and the man "batches" alone. The  
consequent disorder due to his "batch-  
ing" is also manifest in his exclusive  
politics. There is too much "batch-  
ing" in our American city government,  
says Mrs. Robinson and in this she is  
right.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

There are two things wrong with  
the Pennsylvania laws. One is to  
find them and the other strange to  
say is to enforce them.

## Cinches.

The poet has an easy job.  
He never has to think.  
He only needs a fountain pen.  
Some paper and some ink.

The cook, she also has a cinch.  
She never has to eat.  
Not only moves her jaws awhile  
And smells the roasting meat.

The chauffeur has a sinicure.  
He has no woe or cares.  
He can joy ride and never have  
To pay for the repairs.

—Exchange.

Feeling half the people half the time  
means pretty fair profit for the trusts.  
Simplicity is sleighbells for a sleigh  
instead of chains for a six cylinder car.

Speaking of Mr. Ford's profit shar-  
ing scheme of dividing \$10,000,000  
among his employees, Mr. Andrew Car-  
negie indorses the idea and says:  
"Others be moved to follow the  
example." Well?

—N. Y. Times.

The man who said, "Well, fight  
it out on this line if it takes all sum-  
mer" must have had his training as  
a newspaper man.

The next fact that Odd Fellows are  
to their Washington next Thursday  
is to be taken to mean that the  
city seal will be any more old than  
that.

Next of the high school football  
team who could not make the team  
all team or did not try, have organ-  
ized a singing society. New York  
city must be provided with an outlet.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING

"Most any man who has never  
been engaged in the business can  
walk into a newspaper office and tell  
those conducting the paper how it  
ought to be run, and to hear them  
tell it, the men who really know how  
to make the laws of the land are never  
elected to the law-making bodies  
at Harrisburg and Washington," writes  
a Jefferson county correspondent in  
a Philadelphia newspaper. "The suc-  
cessful merchant gets tips every day  
on how to conduct his business from  
the fellow who has tried doing every-  
thing and never made a success of  
anything, and many people who have  
been called as witnesses at court can  
give the judge pointers on how a  
court should be conducted.

"Joseph Haas, who was called as a  
witness in a case before the Jefferson  
county court at Brookville Tuesday,  
has some pronounced ideas on how the  
Jefferson county court should be con-  
ducted, and when at least he got a  
chance to air his opinions in open  
court he did so from the witness  
stand. It took only a few minutes  
after telling his opinion to land him  
in the county jail for contempt.  
"Tell the jury what you know about

In your hand  
you hold a  
five-cent  
piece.

Right at the  
grocer's hand  
is a moisture-  
proof package  
of U need a  
Biscuit. He  
hands you the  
package—you  
hand him the  
coin. A tri-  
fling transac-  
tion?

Not A remark-  
able one—for you  
have spent the  
smallest sum that  
will buy a pack-  
age of good food;  
and the grocer  
has sold you the  
most nutritious  
food made from  
flour—as clean  
and crisp and de-  
licious as it was  
when it came  
from the oven.

NATIONAL  
BISCUIT  
COMPANY

the case," instructed one of the law-  
yers.

"I don't know much about this case,  
but I do know that this court isn't  
our like it ought to be," said Haas.

Judge John W. Reed suspected  
that he had been drinking and his  
suspicions were confirmed. Hence his  
incarceration."

"Young man, I'll remember you;  
I'll place you right one of these days."

These were the words spoken by a  
veteran mine owner and operator,  
thirteen years ago, to J. Ralph Lock-  
ard, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson  
county. Lockard was a young man  
29 years of age and was working as  
a linemen with an engineering corps  
of the Pittsburgh Coal Company. While  
Lockard was getting paid for doing  
only the work of a linemen, he took  
advantage of the extra time he  
found on his hands and studied the  
engineering business. When he was  
selected to accompany the veteran  
mine owner through some of the  
mines the latter was surprised that  
the young man had such a knowledge  
of the business and pleased that he  
was willing to apply himself. Lock-  
ard has gone up in the business, al-  
ways being able to make good at  
each promotion until at the first of  
the year he was made general man-  
ager of the Canadian Collieries com-  
pany in British Columbia, Cana-  
do.

Mr. Lockard was born in Indiana  
county and is 38 years old. Inciden-  
tally it might be mentioned that there  
is a salary of \$10,000 a year con-  
nected with his new position.

## Beethoven's Affliction.

Beethoven for the last seventeen  
years of his life could not hear a  
note of all the exquisite music he  
penned and suffered terribly from mel-  
ancholia.

## The Ideal.

Madge—Did he try to flatter you?  
Marjorie—Why, no, dear. He merely  
said I was the prettiest girl he'd ever  
met.—New York Times.

## Improve Yourself.

If a man cannot improve himself,  
how can he improve others? When we  
see noble men we should think of  
equaling them. When we see evil  
characters we should turn our look in-  
ward and examine ourselves. Only he  
who has the most complete sincerity  
under heaven can transform and in-  
spire others.

## The Secret of Baldness.

The actual condition of the scalp  
and of the hair has very much less to  
do with the health of the latter than  
is popularly supposed. The bulbs of  
the roots of the hair are always com-  
pletely turned through the scalp into the  
skin layer beneath the surface and  
the scalp is not a part of the hair. The  
part of the scalp which is the seat of the  
problem is to be found in the skin in a  
particular case of baldness, and the  
condition of the scalp, and the health of  
the scalp, but the hair is a part of the  
of this hairy layer, which is the seat of  
So long as this is the case, and the  
scalp is freely irrigated over the scalp  
there is hope of restoring a reasonable  
growth of hair, but when this has  
been absorbed and the scalp scalp  
sticks as closely to the skin as the  
cover on a baseball the outlook is  
practically hopeless. This, of course,  
shows at once the futility of most of  
the local applications to and manipu-  
lations of the scalp, from which it suf-  
fers untold torments in those who are  
or imagine themselves to be becoming  
bald.

## A Preparatory Course.

There is a judge in Salem, Mass.,  
who, behind a benignant exterior,  
hides an occasional surprise for per-  
sistent evildoers. Not long ago there  
came up before him for sentence two  
youths who had been guilty of a long  
sequence of misdeeds. Both were un-  
der age, each having just passed his  
nineteenth birthday. Having been  
caught with the goods on them, they  
had pleaded guilty in the hope of get-  
ting off with a light punishment.

The judge adjusted his glasses and  
through them beamed softly at the  
young lawbreakers.

"Now, then, boys," he said softly.  
"I'm going to send you two to the  
state reformatory for two years  
apiece"—his voice suddenly changed—  
"and while you're there you can both  
be studying for the state penitentiary."  
—Saturday Evening Post.

## Colors of the Rainbow.

Violet, indigo, blue, green, yellow,  
orange and red are the colors of the  
rainbow. Most are sure of that. It is  
true, however, of only a very few rain-  
bows. The colors of rainbows vary  
with their width, and their width var-  
ies with the size of the raindrops, big  
drops producing narrow bows with  
bright, clearly defined colors, small  
drops producing wide bows with pale  
colors. Here are the colors as gener-  
ally seen: First, when the raindrops  
average one millimeter in diameter,  
violet, light blue, bluish green, green,  
yellow, orange, light red, dark red;  
second, when the drops average three-  
tenths of a millimeter in diameter,  
violet, light blue, bluish green, green,  
yellow, orange, and, third, when the  
drops average one-tenth of a millime-  
ter, very pale violet, violet, whitish  
blue, whitish green.

## In an Egyptian Hotel.

Soft rugs—real oriental rugs—com-  
fort one's feet; vistas and glimpses of  
things half seen through arches and  
doorways soothe the eyes. Oh, those  
half concealed nooks behind screens  
of tall palms, where one nuds a luxu-  
rious couch and inhales liboret and  
sips his tiny cup of Turkish coffee!  
A dragoman comes into the lobby with  
a bunch of luscious La France roses in  
his bronzed hand. The porter, in  
gorgeous livery of green and gold, in-  
troduces him to an Arab servant in  
starchy white, with broad red girdle  
and turban, and golden hoops in his  
ears. On the second floor, as you go  
to your room, every servant on guard  
along the corridor rises and salutes  
as you pass, and you feel you really  
are somebody worth a while—you get a  
little better opinion of yourself.—Sub-  
urban Life.

## Measles and Morals.

Miss Rosamond Napier, in "Tess  
Harcourt," has this little gem of a  
story:

"Another little boy to see you, miss,"  
said old Robson, the butler, to Tess.  
This was a very pretty, red head, clean,  
little boy, holding tightly a book cov-  
ered in black cloth.  
"Well, Tommy?"  
"Please, miss, I've brought back the  
library book as you give Sunday, as  
we've got measles."

Tess beamed all over her face. At  
last her words were bearing fruit.

"Good boy, Tommy," she encourag-  
ed. "Who has got them in your  
house?"

"Me, miss, please. I broke out  
Tuesday."

## Oratorical in English.

Speaking of the wonderful associa-  
tion of Sims Reeves, Sir Frederic Cow-  
en relates an anecdote illustrative of  
the opposite effect. "One could al-  
ways understand what he was singing  
about, not like a certain other artist  
of the time (it is true she was Ger-  
man), who invariably turned the  
words of Mendelssohn's 'Ob, for the  
wings of a dove,' into 'Ob, for thy  
winks, forty winks!'"

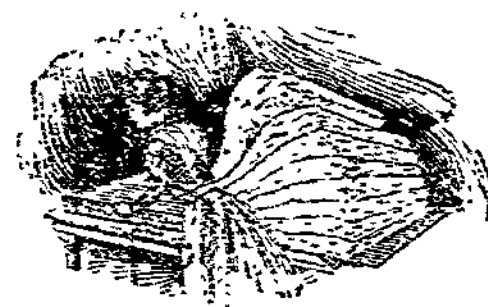
## Those Girls of Ours.

"Here comes Polly Perkins. Let's  
make it hot for her."  
"How?"  
"Why, let's be cool to her!"—Boston  
Transcript.

I have never known a man of real  
ability to be ungrateful.—Goethe.

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## In Re Road Improvement.

Notice is hereby given that the  
Commissioners of Washington County  
have filed in the Court of Quarter  
Sessions of said county their applica-  
tion for the improvement and con-  
struction in the manner provided for  
in the Act of May 11, 1911 and its  
supplements, of a certain section of  
the road known as the Riverview-  
Courtney, described as follows:

That portion of the public highway  
leading from Riverview to Courtney,  
beginning at a point in the State  
Highway from Monongahela City to  
Pittsburg, known as Route No. 247,  
where the center line of Maderia Ave-  
nue intersects said State Highway,  
thence via Maderia Avenue to Mingo  
Street, thence across the County  
Bridge over Mingo Creek and by a  
new location to the end of the brick  
road constructed by Union Township,  
where said brick road intersects the  
line between New Eagle Borough and  
Union Township. The length of the  
proposed improvement is one thou-  
sand five hundred sixty (1,560) feet  
more or less, and lies wholly in New  
Eagle Borough.

That the said application will be  
laid before the grand jury for their  
approval or disapproval on Saturday,  
the 7th day of February, 1914.

Wm. S. Lockhart,

Clerk of Court.

Clerk's office, January 12, 1914.

J-14-21-25

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Sessions of said county their applica-  
tion for the improvement and con-  
struction in the manner provided for  
in the Act of May 11th 1911 and its  
supplements, of a certain section of  
the road known as the Houston Road,  
described as follows:

That portion of the public highway  
beginning at the end of the Meadow  
Lands-Houston Brick Road, where  
the borough line of Houston inter-  
sects said road, thence in a North-  
erly direction for a distance of one  
thousand seven hundred sixty (1,760)  
feet, more or less, to the South end  
of the Brick Pavement of Pike Street  
at or near the Pennsylvania Railroad  
Branch line to Midland, all in the said  
Borough of Houston.

That the said application will be  
laid before the grand jury for their  
approval or disapproval on Saturday,  
the 7th day of February, 1914.

Wm. S. Lockhart,

Clerk of Courts.

Clerk's office, January 12, 1914.

J-14-21-25

## Prothonotary's Notice.

The following accounts have been  
placed on file in my office and will be  
presented to the Court for confirma-  
tion on the 9th day of February 1914,  
at 10 o'clock a. m.

Account of J. B. Wilson, Assignee  
of George B. White.

Account of W. G. Edmonds and W.  
G. Porter, receivers of The Washing-  
ton Drug Company.

Account of Bord E. Warner, Com-  
mittee of Thomas V. Stockton.

A. V. Lewis,

Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's Office,  
Washington, Pa.  
January 16, 1914.

J-17-21-28-F-4

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Every cold is "awful." You are in  
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Kondon's Catarrhal Jelly  
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cumulate in the thick-  
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quick and per-  
manent relief.  
See and  
Kondon's  
Jelly  
is a  
"do-it-all"  
remedy for  
all colds and  
catarrhs of the  
throat, nose and  
sinuses. It is  
Kondon's Catarrhal Jelly.  
Kondon's Catarrhal Jelly

Abraham Lincoln said  
"You can catch more  
flies with molasses  
than vinegar."

And you can make more  
profit with cash than credit—  
and the young man who has a  
savings account stands a better  
chance of getting into a profit-  
able business in the future than  
the man who spends all his in-  
come and depends on starting a  
business on credit.

Start a savings account with  
this bank today and practice  
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your salary every time you re-  
ceive your "envelope" and  
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# HOMES

Your editorial of recent date, "UNFIT HOUSES," was certainly appropriate and up-to-date. The product of LABOR is the basis of our nation's wealth, then who is more entitled to Good Comfortable, Sanitary, and Up-to-Date Home, than those who produce that wealth.

When I started in the Real Estate business, a little over two years ago, I started with a definite plan in view, and that was the building of home for working people, homes that could be purchased on the easy payment plan, and homes that so far as accommodations and comfort was concerned, would equal the best homes in the land, and I decided that if I only built one at a time it would be built right.

In November 1912, I let a contract for four houses, to consist of Six Rooms, Reception Hall, Bath, Cemented Cellar, Heater, Electric Lights, Hot and Cold water in cellar for laundry purposes, Hot and cold water in kitchen, Bathroom, with Cabinet Mantles, Papered Throughout with first class paper, size of lot 30 x110, fenced with locust post and Pittsburg Steel fence laid walks in front and around houses, in fact I don't know where I could have spent another dollar without throwing it away.

Now when you talk of building a home with the accommodations mentioned, it naturally suggests a \$3000.00 to \$4000.00 home and to much for the ordinary workman to pay, but I had been busy, all the frills were eliminated and all space utilized, and when I advertised them in the Mail they were all sold on short order, but owing to sickness one was returned to us, and is now for sale at the price of \$2500.00. Terms \$200.00 or more down balance to suit purchaser. I am about to ask for bids on three more homes similar to the others, and should any one wish to purchase a home on these terms, bring your plans and we will build a home to suit you.

Several good properties for sale, at reasonable prices and lots from \$175.00 up.

## Harry W. Scott

Justice of the Peace  
Real Estate and Insurance

Bell Phone 225-J Collections a Specialty Charleroi Phone 72  
Special Agent for Prudential Insurance Co.  
LOCK NO. FOUR. PA.

**Saw the Practical Side.**  
Ideas of advancement in South America are aesthetic, while in the United States they run along practical lines. As an indication of the uses to which capital has been applied in South America and the difference in temperament of the people of that part of the western world as compared with the inhabitants of the United States a story is told of a meeting between a Brazilian promoter and an American prospector at one of the new cities which have recently sprung up on the banks of the Amazon. The native pointed with pride to a pretentious opera house overlooking the mighty river and asked the stranger if she was not superb. "Well," said the man from one of our western states, "I think it would be a waste of space for a sawmill."

**The Varying Cost of Education.**  
A certain Yale graduate, for many years a member of the faculty and always a close observer of the home undergraduate, once in a moment of exasperation, we take it to drop a significant remark. The burden of the remark was that a majority of the students attending Yale ought to be taken to some remote island of dollars a year for tuition for the privilege of attending college, while the remaining small minority should be paid double that amount for contributing their services to the undergraduate community. Without doubt this observation like the famous reports of Mark Twain's death, was slightly exaggerated. But it was not without its very considerable modicum of truth.—Yale Alumni Weekly.

**Always Busy.**  
"And what do you do in the dull season?" we asked the fool killer.  
"What dull season?" exclaimed the fool killer.  
"Why, when the man who rocks the boat and the man who didn't know it was loaded quit operations. What do you do then?"  
"Oh, I get on the trail of the man who knows it all," replied the fool killer.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

**His Modest Request.**  
A man once asked Thackeray to lend him 5 shillings, which he would convert into £20,000. Asked how, he explained that he knew a young woman with £20,000 who he knew would marry him if he asked her, but he had pawned his teeth and wanted 5 shillings to redeem them in order to propose effectively.

**No Rehearsals.**  
Wife (pointing): You have ceased to love me. Hub (enjoying cigar and newspaper): No, my dear; I've only ceased making love to you.—Boston Transcript.

**Brave actions never want a trumpet.**  
—Italian Proverb.

**A Liberal Education.**  
That man, I think, has had a liberal education who has been so trained in youth that his body is the ready servant of his will and does with ease and pleasure all the work that as a mechanism it is capable of; whose intellect is a clear, cold, logic engine, with all its parts of equal strength, and in smooth working order; ready, like a steam engine, to be turned to any kind of work and spin the gossamers as well as force the anchors of the mind; whose mind is stored with a knowledge of the great and fundamental truths of nature and of the laws of her operations; one who, no stunted ascetic, is full of life and fire, and whose passions are trained to come to heel by a vigorous will, the servant of a tender conscience; who has learned to love all beauty, whether of nature or of art; to hate all villainy and to respect others as himself.

Such a man and no other, I conceive, has had a liberal education.—Thomas Henry Huxley in "Lay Sermons."

**Trees and Fools.**  
Any fool can destroy trees. They cannot run away; and if they could they would still be destroyed—chopped and hauled down as long as fun or a dollar could be got out of their bark hides, branching horns or magnificent bole backbones. Few that fell trees plant them. Nor would planting avail much toward getting back anything like the noble primordial forests. During a man's life only saplings can be grown in the place of the old trees, tens of centuries old, that have been destroyed. It took more than 3,000 years to make some of the trees in these western woods—trees that are still standing in perfect strength and beauty, waving and singing in the mighty forests of the Sierras. God has cared for these trees, saved them from drought, disease, avalanches and a thousand trainings, leveling tempests and floods, but he cannot save them from fools. Only Uncle Sam can do that.—John Muir.

**For Left Handed Persons.**  
Enterprising manufacturers make various articles for the special benefit of left handed people. Besides scissors adjusted for their use, you can buy left handed screws, gimlets and other tools, and, most thoughtful of all contrivances, to minister to their physical peculiarity corkscrews twisted the wrong way, as a right handed person would think, for left handed butlers and waiters.—Exchange.

**Simplified.**  
"Young Brooks is relieved of one trouble, anyhow."  
"What's that?"  
"He doesn't have to lie about his salary to the girl he's going to marry. He works for her father."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Will Gather in Street Loafers.

Burgess A. P. Morgan of Washington has served notice that he will not permit street loafing, and crowds of men and youths who make a practice of congregating on street corners or in front of business places must disperse. The Burgess says he will cause the arrest of the loafers if they persist in their practice.

### Pupils See Jury Drawn.

The pupils of the Seventh and Eighth grades of the East Washington schools visited the common pleas court Tuesday and witnessed the process of drawing a jury. Afterward they visited the jail and then the Observer office and were shown how a daily newspaper is published.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Walton Sharpnack and Mrs. Charles Van Voorhis entertained at a five hundred party at the latter's home on Sixth street. A delightful two course luncheon was served by the hostess. Favours were awarded.

### Pearls as Medicine.

Scotland still produces pearls, found mainly in the fresh water mussel. They could no doubt be found in England if the industry were profitable. Cleopatra was not the only person who swallowed a dissolved pearl. Until comparatively recently pearls were used medicinally in the west and still appear in the materia medica of China. According to one Chinese authority, a pearl, after being treated with pumice stone and honeycomb, mixed with the gall of a serpent, might be drawn out to the length of three or four feet. Make it into pills and swallow them—behold forth food will be unnecessary.

The suggestion is not that the patient would be finished off, but that he would live, foodless, forever.—New York Sun.

### Stage Fright.

Very few people are really free from inability to stage fright, and the veteran in public life is just as likely to be affected as is the novice. Attacks, moreover, frequently come when they are least expected. Hence no speaker or artist can face an audience and feel sure that he will not have to suffer from the tortures of this particularly painful form of nervousness.

**The Grave of Cecil Rhodes.**  
"The grave of Cecil Rhodes, I think, is the most remarkably silent place I have ever visited," says Mr. Ambrose Pratt in his book, "The Real South Africa." "It is a serious though inspiring, sombre, forbidding and desolately grand place. While one stands gazing at the tomb scores of lizards, blue, green and gray, crawl from the crevices among the rocks and steal like brilliant phantom streaks across the floor. They are almost fearless of intruders, but they make no sound. Sometimes the distant shrilling of cicada wounds the stillness with a faint yet piercing dagger thrust of song. But soon and always the eternal hush returns, and silence reigns supreme again. The world is full of great tombs, vast and awe inspiring, but there is neither pyramid nor tomb nor monument in all the world which can equal that of Rhodes' sleeping place in simplicity and majesty."

**Hospitable Anyway.**  
When Jones called on the Browns with an important message last night he had no umbrella. It was raining pitchforks, and he was soaked to the skin. Mrs. Brown was sympathetic and hospitable.

"I couldn't dream of letting you go away like that," she cried. "You must come in and get dry and have some supper."

"Never!" demurred Jones. "I am soaked through and couldn't get dry. And I couldn't sit down at your table in these clothes."

"But Mr. Brown will lend you a suit."

"Wouldn't do. I'm twice as big as Brown."

"Well, he'll lend you two suits. He has a plenty—come in!"—New York Globe.

### Bluntly Told.

A good story is told of the childhood of a noted singer. As a little girl she went to stay with a lady who gave her the family portrait album to look at. She turned the leaves quickly and in a few minutes closed the book.

"Don't you like it, my dear?" the lady asked.

"Yes, very much," said the little girl politely, adding, "We've got one at home, only the pictures are prettier."—Exchange.

### Plain Evidence.

"It is wrong for an old man to marry a young fool."

"But how is he to know that she is a fool?"

"When she says yes to his proposal. Right then he ought to know it!"—Houston Post.

### Sarcastic.

He—Look at this infernal bill. You know I can't afford it. Now, I'm going to give you a piece of my mind. She—Are you quite sure you can afford that, papa, dear?—London Opinion.

### Zigzag Lightning.

That lightning flashes appear to zigzag is an optical illusion, according to a German scientist, who says the effect is produced by the eyes twitching when flashes occur.

### Strands in a Spider's Thread.

A spider's thread is really composed of four smaller threads, each of which consists of 1,000 separate tiny threads, so that the web we see is spun of 4,000 threads.

Our duty is to be useful, not according to our desires, but according to our powers.—Henri Frederic Amiel.

## Do It Now

Charleroi People Should Not Wait Until It Is Too Late.

The appalling death-rate from kidney disease is due largely to the fact that the little kidney troubles are usually neglected until they become serious. The slight symptoms often give place to chronic disorders and the sufferer may slip gradually into some serious form of kidney complaint.

If you suffer from backache, headaches, dizzy spells; if the kidney secretions are irregular of passage and unnatural in appearance, do not delay. Help the kidneys at once.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney disorders—they act where others fail. Over one hundred thousand people have recommended them. Here's a case at home:

Mrs. Joseph Thompson, 94 Lincoln Avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Piper Bros., Drug Store, have been used in our family for kidney complaints with the best of results. I consider this remedy a good one and do not hesitate to recommend it."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Thompson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.



## Keep Your Eyes Young

Don't strain your eyes with harsh electric or gas light. The ideal light for reading or sewing is the soft, white glow of the

## Rayo Lamp

The Rayo lamp is constructed to give the best and steadiest light. It is made of solid brass—nickel plated. Lighted without removing chimney or shade. Easy to clean. Ask your dealer.

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## Rheumatism, Sprains Backache, Neuralgia

"Yes, daughter, that's good stuff. The pain in my back is all gone—I never saw anything work as quickly as Sloan's Liniment." Thousands of grateful people voice the same opinion. Here's the proof.

**Relieved Pain in Back.**  
"I was troubled with a very bad pain in my back for some time. I went to a doctor but he did not do me any good, so I purchased a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, and now I am a well woman. I always keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment in the house."—Miss Harriet Green, 364 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

**Sciatic Rheumatism.**  
"We have used Sloan's Liniment for over six years and found it the best we ever used. When my wife had sciatic rheumatism the only thing that did her any good was Sloan's Liniment. We cannot praise it highly enough."—Mr. Perigo, Des Moines, Iowa.

**Sprained Ankle Relieved.**  
"I was ill for a long time with a severe sprained ankle. I got a bottle of Sloan's Liniment and now I am able to be about and can walk a great deal. I write this because I think you deserve a lot of credit for putting such a fine Liniment on the market and I shall always take time to recommend Dr. Sloan's Liniment."—Mrs. Chas. House, Baltimore, Md.

## SLOAN'S LINIMENT

At all Dealers—25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sloan's instructive book on horses, cattle, dogs and poultry sent free. Address Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Inc., Boston, Mass.

## BIG CLEARANCE SALE

Begins today, Jan. 21st, and will last four days. Everything for winter will be reduced—ladies' Misses and Childrens coats, suits, dresses, skirts, sweaters, kimono's, dressing sacques, all grades of ladies underwear, ladies and childrens night gowns, petticoats, wool blankets, comforts and many other articles that space does not allow us to mention will be reduced.

## Eugene Fau, The Ladies Store

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# BERRYMAN'S Stock Taking Sale

Starts Friday, Jan. 23, Ends Saturday, Jan 31.

Our Annual Stock Taking Sale is a shelf emptying, bargain buying opportunity that our customers wait for. Shelves are being emptied, boxes unpacked. Merchandise must be turned into cash. It is easier to count the money than measure the goods. For eighteen years we have held these sales. They are for you but this will be greater than ever. The weather has been so unfavorable—more goods were left—therefore the prices will be lower. Come. Get your share at this great shelf-emptying, price cutting, money saving clearance sale.

Great Sale of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Clothing, Notions, Domestic, Furnishings, Carpets, China

**MEN'S AND  
YOUNG MEN'S  
SUITS** **\$4<sup>95</sup>**

One special lot of men's and young men's suits that sold for \$8.00 and \$5.00. These values all put together and you take your choice for .....\$4.95

**MEN'S AND  
YOUNG MEN'S  
SUITS** **\$6<sup>75</sup>**

Here is another special lot that consists of suits for men and young men. Former prices were \$10 and \$12 and are wonderful values and great bargains when sold at .....\$6.75

**MEN'S AND  
YOUNG MEN'S  
SUITS** **\$7<sup>85</sup>**

This lot of still better values that sold at \$12.00, \$13.50 and \$15.00. Now don't delay, come get one of these suits and in many cases save half your money, and remember everything right or money back....\$7.85

**MEN'S AND  
YOUNG MEN'S  
OVERCOATS** **\$5<sup>75</sup>**

One special lot of men's and young men's over coats, formerly sold at \$9.00 and \$10.00. Good, warm serviceable coats, special price while they last, only .....\$5.75

**MEN'S AND YOUNG  
MEN'S OVERCOATS  
AND RAINCOATS** **\$8<sup>75</sup>**

One special lot of men's and young men's overcoats and Prestley's cravenetted cloth raincoats. This lot formerly sold at \$12.00, \$13.50 and \$15.00, your choice for .....\$8.75

**MEN'S AND YOUNG  
MEN'S OVERCOATS  
AND RAINCOATS** **10<sup>75</sup>**

This lot includes your choice of a lot of odd coats that formerly sold at \$15, \$18 and \$20, priced to make them move quickly. Don't fail to see these splendid bargains. On sale at only .....\$10.75

## CLEARANCE SALE

Wool and Cotton Blankets, Comforts. Now is the time you have been waiting for—the first real cut in bed coverings. Our wool blankets are all wool, they come in 11-4, 12-4 and 13-4 sizes. They are plain white with borders and the various color combinations in plaids.

Cotton blankets come in white, tan and gray, with pink or blue borders.

All blankets and comforts go at one-fifth off.

\$4.00 wool blankets go at .....\$3.20  
\$4.50 wool blankets go at .....\$3.60  
\$5.00 wool blankets go at .....\$4.00  
\$6.00 wool blankets go at .....\$4.80  
\$6.50 wool blankets go at .....\$5.20  
\$7.00 wool blankets go at .....\$5.60  
\$7.50 wool blankets go at .....\$6.00  
\$8.00 wool blankets go at .....\$6.40  
55c cotton blankets go at .....68c  
\$1.00 cotton blankets and comforts .....79c  
\$1.25 cotton blankets and comforts .....98c  
\$1.50 cotton blankets and comforts \$1.19  
\$1.75 cotton blankets and comforts .....\$1.34  
\$2.00 cotton blankets and comforts .....\$1.60  
\$2.25 cotton blankets and comforts .....\$1.81  
\$2.50 cotton blankets and comforts .....\$1.93  
\$3.00 cotton blankets and comforts .....\$2.33

## January Clearance on Ladies' and Childrens Dresses

The Cut Prices are Sending Out The Dresses

Every dress is cut in price for this last January sale—even the Peter Thompson and Sailor Dresses you can buy at 20 per cent less. All other dresses 25 per cent off and many at still heavier cuts—some one-third off, some at half price. Every dress a bargain. These cut prices hold good until January 31, 1914. All wool dresses, all silk dresses will go on sale.

\$3.75 will buy wool dresses that sold at \$5.00 to \$7.50. These come in blues, blacks, browns, and fancies.

\$5.00 will buy you some of the very stylish dresses that sold at \$7.50 to \$10.00.

Other sale prices are \$4.75, \$5.75, \$7.50, \$9.50.

A big line of stout dresses at sale prices. We can fit the fat. Come in and see.

Special sale of silk dresses Messaline

at .....\$5.00

One big lot of Messalines, Foulards and Fancies in the very latest styles. Were \$10.00 and \$12.50, now .....\$7.50

One big lot of our \$15.00 silk dresses go on sale at .....\$9.50

We have a good lot of very high-grade dresses for children, ages 6 to 14 years. Prices cut heavily.

## GREAT CHINA AND BRIC-A-BRAC CLEARANCE

We bought too much china—it was so pretty that we couldn't resist—so down go the prices to clear out the surplus. Only four open stock patterns reserved. Our fancy china is arranged in blocks so as to make it easy for you.

LOT ONE. Beautiful china cups and saucers, sugars and cream, dresser sets, etc.—a splendid assortment worth twice what we are asking. Clearance price 25c.

LOT TWO. An assortment of cups and saucers, plates and sets of beautifully decorated pieces priced so low that they will sell fast. Clearance price 50c.

LOT THREE. A table full of plates, dishes, trays, sets, etc.—all beautiful dishes, but to make them more attractive we have marked them very low. Clearance price \$1.00.

All Other China, the four patterns Excepted, One-Fourth Off

## CLEARANCE SALE

Of Kimonas and House Dresses

We bought too many Kimonas and House Dresses. They must go the way of the other surplus stocks—at heavy reductions. We've a complete line of kimonas in crepe and flannelette, in plain colors and fancy patterns. There'll be one lot of house dresses on sale in striped, checked and plain ginghams. We are making clearance prices on our flannelette dressing sacques. Now is your time to save money on this comfortable garment.

\$1.00 Crepe or Flannelette Kimonas 79c  
\$1.50 Crepe or Flannelette Kimonas .98c  
\$1.75 Crepe or Flannelette Kimonas .....\$1.19  
\$2.00 Crepe or Flannelette Kimonas .....\$1.48  
\$2.50 Crepe or Flannelette Kimonas .....\$1.69  
One lot \$1.50 House Dresses, special... 95c  
50c Flannelette Dressing Sacques 37c  
75c Flannelette Dressing Sacques .....57c  
\$1.00 Flannelette Dressing Sacques .....79c  
One lot of Nell Rose and Kelly Green Petticoats go at special clearance price 95c

Clearance prices mean cash saved to you—they mean empty shelves for us—that's why we are cutting the prices so deep. You profit in dollars, we profit in shelf room. It's to our mutual benefit that you reap these savings. Hundreds of our customers have for years been filling their wants at our Stock Taking Sale. If you haven't why not join the throng? It will be a big sale and we urge you to come. Read each item carefully. Notice the items of our Mens Department. There are many articles that are not mentioned. We say again, come—It's your sale—and note, everything right or your money back.

**J. W. BERRYMAN & SON, CHARLEROI, PA.**

## Classified Ads

WANTED—A young man under 35 to spend part of his time soliciting Life Insurance—Roscoe, Charleroi, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Fallowfield and Allen townships. New combination policy that interests every man of moderate means. Liberal commission and reliable, well known company. Address, General Agent, 319, care Mail. 158-16

WANTED—Man to work farm on shares, farm well stocked and near good market. Write or see V. E. Reeves, Charleroi. 160-15

WANTED—A bright young man for salesman. Must come well recommended. Address 320 care Charleroi Mail. 160-11

FOR RENT—One furnished room; also two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 321 Mail. 160-12

LOST—Four Yale keys. Finder return to 322 Mail. Reward of \$1.00. 161-12

The Greatest Temperance Picture ever made, "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," in 5 reels, Thursday at Coyle Theatre. 160-12

## NORTH CHARLEROI

Mrs. John Pinyard was called to Morgantown Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Bane of Fredricktown were guests of the former's cousin Seth Bane.

William Zollers of West Newton spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zollers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bosworth of Pittsburg and Mrs. William Bertleman and daughter of Monessen were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bosworth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foulks were at Monongahela Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown were visitors at Belle Vernon.

Carl White has returned from an extended visit in Forest county.

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Our Annual Stock Taking Sale is a shelf emptying, bargain buying opportunity that our customers wait for. Shelves are being emptied, boxes unpacked. Merchandise must be turned into cash. It is easier to count the money than measure the goods. For eighteen years we have held these sales. They are for you but this will be greater than ever. The weather has been so unfavorable—more goods were left—therefore the prices will be lower. Come. Get your share at this great shelf-emptying, price cutting, money saving clearance sale.

Great Sale of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Clothing, Notions, Domestics, Furnishings, Carpets, China

MEN'S AND  
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**\$4<sup>95</sup>**

One special lot of men's and young men's suits that sold for \$8.00 and \$5.50. These values all put together and you take your choice for .....\$4.95

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Here is another special lot that consists of suits for men and young men. Former prices were \$10 and \$12 and are wonderful values and great bargains when sold at .....\$6.75

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This lot of still better values that sold at \$12.00, \$13.50 and \$15.00. Now don't delay, come get one of these suits and in many cases save half your money, and remember everything right or money back.....\$7.85

MEN'S AND  
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**\$5<sup>75</sup>**

One special lot of men's and young men's over coats, formerly sold at \$9.00 and \$10.00. Good, warm serviceable coats, special price while they last, only .....\$5.75

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One special lot of men's and young men's overcoats and Prestley's cravenette cloth raincoats. This lot formerly sold at \$12.00, \$13.50 and \$15.00, your choice for .....\$8.75

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**10<sup>75</sup>**

This lot includes your choice of a lot of odd coats that formerly sold at \$15, \$18 and \$20, priced to make them move quickly. Don't fail to see these splendid bargains. On sale at only .....\$10.75

## CLEARANCE SALE

Wool and Cotton Blankets. Comforts. Now is the time you have been waiting for—the first real cut in bed coverings. Our wool blankets are all wool, they come in 11-4, 12-4 and 13-4 sizes. They are plain white with borders and the various color combinations in plaids.

Cotton blankets come in white, tan and gray, with pink or blue borders.

All blankets and comforts go at one-fifth off.

\$4.00 wool blankets go at .....\$3.20  
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\$5c cotton blankets go at .....68c  
\$1.00 cotton blankets and comforts .....79c  
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## January Clearance on Ladies' and Childrens Dresses The Cut Prices are Sending Out The Dresses

Every dress is cut in price for this last January sale—even the Peter Thompson and Sailor Dresses you can buy at 20 per cent less. All other dresses 25 per cent off and many at still heavier cuts—some one-third off, some at half price. Every dress a bargain. These cut prices hold good until January 31, 1914. All wool dresses, all silk dresses will go on sale.

\$3.75 will buy wool dresses that sold at \$5.00 to \$7.50. These come in blues, blacks, browns, and fancies.

\$5.00 will buy you some of the very stylish dresses that sold at \$7.50 to \$10.00.

Other sale prices are \$1.75, \$5.75, \$7.50, \$9.50.

A big line of stout dresses, at sale prices. We can fit the fat. Come in and see.

Special sale of silk dresses Messaline

at .....\$5.00

One big lot of Messalines, Foulards and Fancies in the very latest styles. Were \$10.00 and \$12.50, now .....\$7.50

One big lot of our \$15.00 silk dresses go on sale at .....\$9.50

We have a good lot of very high-grade dresses for children, ages 6 to 14 years. Prices cut heavily.

## GREAT CHINA AND BRIC-A-BRAC CLEARANCE

We bought too much china—it was so pretty that we couldn't resist—so down go the prices to clear out the surplus. Only four open stock patterns reserved. Our fancy china is arranged in blocks so as to make it easy for you.

LOT ONE. Beautiful china cups and saucers, sugars and cream, dresser sets, etc.—a splendid assortment worth twice what we are asking. Clearance price 25c.

LOT TWO. An assortment of cups and saucers, plates and sets of beautifully decorated pieces priced so low that they will sell fast. Clearance price 50c.

LOT THREE. A table full of plates, dishes, trays, sets, etc.—all beautiful dishes, but to make them more attractive we have marked them very low. Clearance price \$1.00.

All Other China, the four patterns Excepted, One-Fourth Off

## CLEARANCE SALE

Of Kimonos and House Dresses

We bought too many Kimonos and House Dresses. They must go the way of the other surplus stocks—at heavy reductions. We've a complete line of kimonos in crepe and flannelette, in plain colors and fancy patterns. There'll be one lot of house dresses on sale in striped, checked and plain ginghams. We are making clearance prices on our flannelette dressing sacques. Now is your time to save money on this comfortable garment.

\$1.00 Crepe or Flannelette Kimonos 79c

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One lot \$1.50 House Dresses, special.. 95c

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One lot of Nell Rose and Kelly Green Petticoats go at special clearance price 95c

Clearance prices mean cash saved to you—they mean empty shelves for us—that's why we are cutting the prices so deep. You profit in dollars, we profit in shelf room. It's to our mutual benefit that you reap these savings. Hundreds of our customers have for years been filling their wants at our Stock Taking Sale. If you haven't why not join the throng? It will be a big sale and we urge you to come. Read each item carefully. Notice the items of our Mens Department. There are many articles that are not mentioned. We say again, come—It's your sale—and note, everything right or your money back.

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## Classified Ads

WANTED—A young man under 35 to spend part of his time soliciting Life Insurance—Roscoe, Charleroi, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Fallowfield and Allen townships. New combination policy that interests every man of moderate means. Liberal commission and reliable, well known company. Address, General Agent, 319, care Mail. 158-t6

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WANTED—A bright young man for salesman. Must come well recommended. Address 320 care Charleroi Mail. 166-tf

FOR RENT—One furnished room; also two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 321 Mail. 160-t2

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